

**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION:  
FINANCE CONCENTRATION**  
(36 - 45 credits / 12 - 15 courses)

**Full-time/ Part-time**  
*Effective September 2025*

**Pre-Program Foundation Courses (0 - 15 Credits / 0 - 5 Courses)**

<u>Course</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
GR 521	Managerial Statistics	None
GR 522	Economic Environment of the Firm	None
GR 523	Marketing Management	None
GR 524	Accounting for Decision Making	None
GR 525	Financial Statement Analysis for Decision Making	GR 524 or AC 611

*Students may be waived from 3 Foundation Courses without being required to add electives. If 4 Foundation Courses are waived, 1 added elective is required. If 5 Foundation Courses are waived, 2 added electives are required.*

**Core Courses (18 credits / 6 courses)**

GR 601	Strategic IT Alignment	All foundation courses
GR 602	Business Process Management	All foundation courses
GR 603	Leading Responsibly	None
GR 604	Global Strategy	All foundation courses
GR 606	Designing for the Value Chain	All foundation courses
GR 645	Law, Ethics & Social Responsibility	None

**Finance Concentration (12 Credits / 4 Courses)**

**Concentration Requirements**

<u>Course</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>
FI 623	Investments	None

*Select FI 625 if you have been waived from GR 525.*

*Select FI 627 if you completed GR 525 at Bentley University.*

FI 625	Corporate Finance: Theory, Tools and Concepts	GR 524
OR FI 627	Corporate Finance: Applications & Advanced Topics	GR 525 or FI 625

**Select two of the following:**

FI 627	Corporate Finance: Applications & Advanced Topics	GR 525 or FI 625
FI 631	Financial Modeling	GR 525 or FI 625
FI 635	Fixed Income Valuation & Strategies	Pre- or co-req FI 623
FI 640	Equity Valuation	FI 623
FI 645	Derivatives	Pre- or co-req FI 623
FI 650	Quantitative Investment Management	FI 623

FI 660	Applying ESG for Sustainable Equity & Fixed Income Investing	Pre- or co-req FI 623
FI 685	Financial Strategy	FI 625 or GR 525
FI 701	Internship in Finance	Two 600+ level FI courses
FI 730	Management of Financial Institutions	GR 525 or FI 625
FI 735	Mergers & Acquisitions	GR 525 or FI 625
FI 751	International Financial Management	GR 525 or FI 625
FI 760	Financial Planning Fundamentals	Pre- or co-req FI 623
FI 767	Investment Practice & Ethics	FI 623
FI 774	Computational Finance	GR 526 & FI 623
FI 787	Large Investments & International Project Finance	GR 525 or FI 625

# Academic Planner: Master of Business Administration

## Finance Concentration

This worksheet is intended to help you plan your course enrollments to be sure that they align with the Master Business Administration curriculum. Use this worksheet along with Degree Works to track your progress toward program completion.

Please note in order to graduate students must:

Complete all degree requirements within five years

Earn a minimum of 2.7 cumulative GPA

Advising Guidance:

- Only foundation courses may be waived. Insert a “W” under the Waiver/Substitution column. Students may be waived from 3 Foundation Courses without being required to add electives. If 4 Foundation Courses are waived, 1 added elective is required. If 5 Foundation Courses are waived, 2 added electives are required.
- No more than 4 FI electives may be taken. All electives must be at the 600-level or higher.
- All course prerequisites must be satisfied. Please note that the stated prerequisites of a course may also have a prerequisite that must be satisfied.
- Asynchronous (AL) sections are reserved for Accelerated Online MBA students with a limited number of seats open to students in other programs two weeks after enrollment begins.
- Refer to the [Graduate Catalog](#) for guidance about when classes are typically offered.

Name:

Matriculation Date:

Bentley ID:

Anticipated Completion Date:

Course Number & Title	Credits	Summer	Fall	Spring	Waiver/Substitution
<b>Foundation Courses (0-15 Credits / 0-5 Courses)</b>					
GR 521 Managerial Statistics					
GR 522 Economic Environment of the Firm					
GR 523 Marketing Management					
GR 524 Accounting for Decision Making					
GR 525 Financial Statement Analysis for Decision Making					
<b>Core Courses (18 Credits / 6 Courses)</b>					
GR 601 Strategic IT Alignment					
GR 602 Business Process Management					
GR 603 Leading Responsibly					
GR 604 Global Strategy					
GR 606 Designing for the Value Chain					
GR 645 Law, Ethics & Social Responsibility					
<b>Finance Concentration Courses (12 Credits / 4 Courses)</b>					
Select FI 625 if you have been waived from GR 525.					
Select FI 627 if you completed GR 525 at Bentley University					
1. FI 623 Investments					
2. FI 625 OR FI 627					
3.					
4.					
<b>Elective Course(s) Due to Waiver (3-6 credits / 1-2 Courses). ONLY if waived for 4 or 5 pre-program foundation courses.</b>					
1.					
2.					
<b>Total Credits:</b>					

Notes: